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For: Method and Apparatus for Using Keyboard Macros to Control Viewing Channel RECEIVED

Amendment filed under 37 C.F. R. § 1.111

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Dear Sir:

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A Date

This response to the Final Office Action mailed December 20, 2000 is accompanied by a Request for Continued Examination of the application, and a petition for an extension of the response period by one month, so that the extended period will expire on April 20, 2001. Consideration is requested.

Please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 7 and 16 without prejudice.

Please substitute the below claims for the pending claims with the same nubmer: